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Lokayukta rap to BBMP over shoddy handling of solid waste management in city, growing number of black spots

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CHEERS TO THAT

Karnataka Excise Dept to redistribute nearly 600 liquor shop licences through e-auction to regulate trade, curb lobbies

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Looking for intimate friendships online? Just keep a few figures in mind: Between Jan & Sept 2023, Bengaluru reported 84 sextortion cases, with victims collectively losing approximately Rs 97.45 lakh

THE FAST SEDUCTION

Surge in complaints involving fake profiles, morphed videos, intimidation

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In the digital age, a simple friend request on social media can lead to something far more sinister. A recent case from Bengaluru serves as a reminder of the growing threat of cyber fraud, particularly sextortion, which is steadily on the rise.

In this instance, a 37-year-old man working in a private firm lost Rs 5.5 lakh within 24 hours after accepting a Facebook friend request from a profile posing as a woman doctor. The interaction quickly escalated from casual chat to a WhatsApp video call featuring explicit content. Within moments, the man was caught in a web of blackmail, accused of participating in obscene activity and threatened with the circulation of a morphed video. Out of fear and confusion, he made multiple payments to the fraudsters.

Unfortunately, such cases are on the rise. Sextortion, a form of cybercrime where victims are coerced into sharing intimate content and later blackmailed, is increasingly common. Notable incidents include a textile businessman losing ₹5 lakh after connecting with a fake profile on a dating app, and a 28-year-old man being extorted for ₹7.95 lakh under similar circumstances.

Cybersecurity experts warn that

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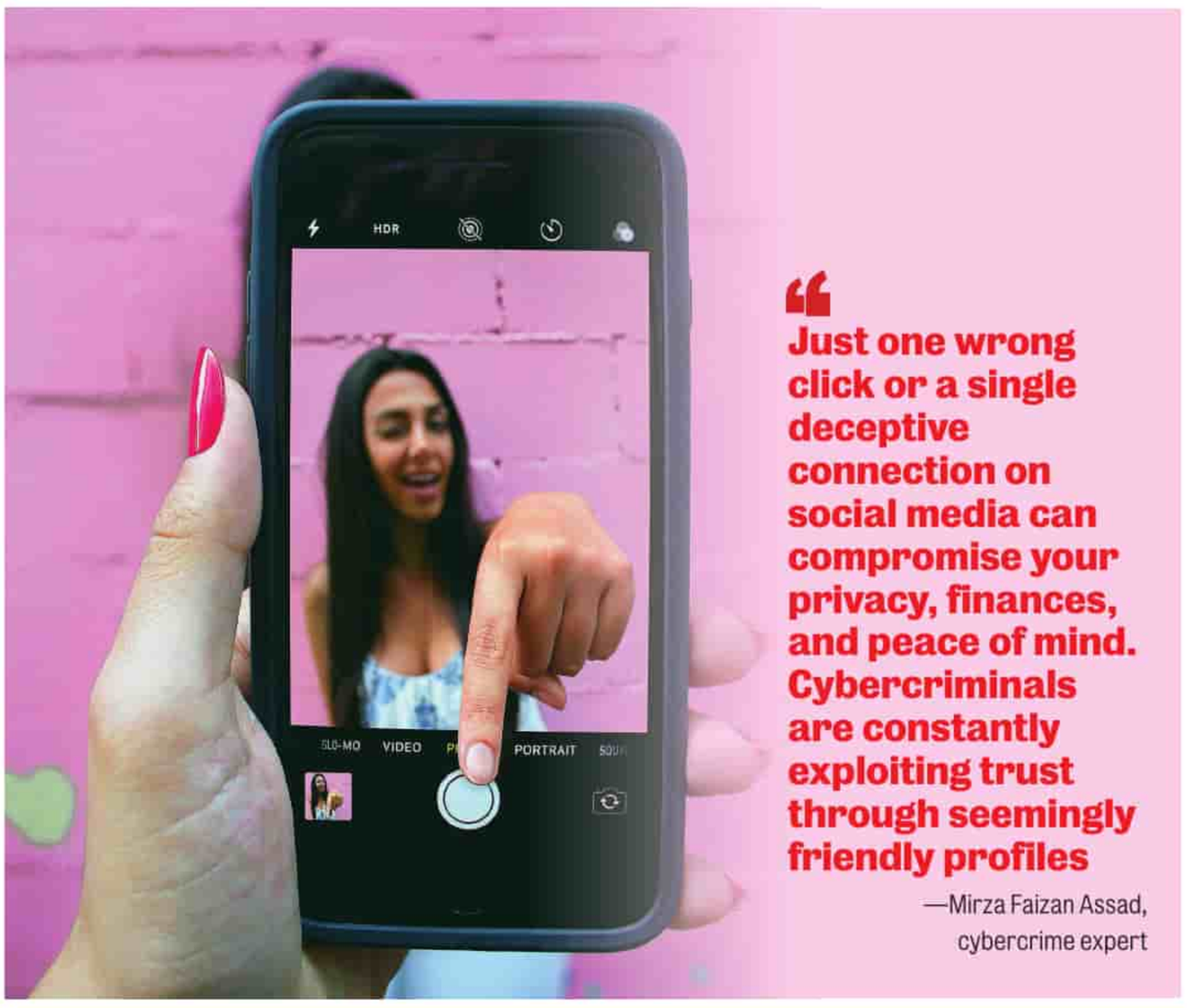

“Just one wrong click or a single deceptive connection on social media can compromise your privacy, finances, and peace of mind. Cybercriminals are constantly exploiting trust through seemingly friendly profiles

—Mirza Faizan Assad, cybercrime expert

>> TIPS ON SOCIAL MEDIA FRIENDSHIP ETIQUETTE

- Avoid accepting friend requests from strangers
- Refrain from sharing personal information or phone numbers with unknown profiles.
- Never engage in video calls or share sensitive content with people you've never met in person.
- Report suspicious activity to authorities immediately

The big heat

High land surface temperature areas in city rise as urban heat island effect blazes across

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Over the past two decades, Bengaluru has experienced a significant increase in areas with the urban heat island effect.

Hotspot (high land surface temperature) areas in the city have increased from 6.29% to 6.99%, indicating that the urban heat island phenomenon has spread throughout Bengaluru over the years (between 2000 and 2021).

Researchers from various national and international universities that conducted the study say the surge in areas with the urban heat island (UHI) effect is due to rapid urbanisation and industrialisation of the city. This has led to the replacement of natural vegetation with concrete structures, increasing surface temperatures. Also, increased vehicular emissions and industrial activities have contributed to rising air pollution levels

The investigation was conducted during the summer and winter seasons, with data spanning from 2001 to 2021.

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THINGS TO DO

01 Laughter unleashed

After the success of 'Bas Kar Bassi', Anubhav Bassi is coming back to perform live, bringing a whole new set of funny stories and jokes to entertain the audience. **Where: Prestige Centre for Performing Arts, Konanakunte; When: May 30, 7.30 pm**

02 Melodic bliss

Phoenix Marketcity is set to host Kailash Kher, who will be performing live and mesmerising the audience with his songs. **Where: Phoenix Marketcity, Whitefield; When: May 10**

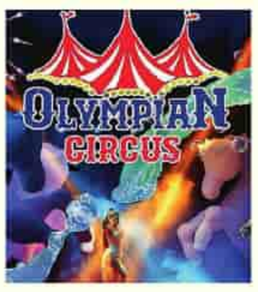
03 Painted hope

Bruno's Pet Friendly cafe is going to be displaying several pieces of art for the UCS fundraiser. Every rupee goes towards the food, care, and medical assistance for community dogs. A painting by filmmaker Jaishankar Pandit will go towards the treatment and rehab of Evie, a breeder discard. **Where: Bruno's cafe, Halasuru; When: April 14 to May 1, 9 am to 9 pm**

04 Poetic wonders

Museum of Art and Photography is organising 'Weaving Words', a poetry workshop exploring poetry as a tool of expression and transformation across languages and cultures. **Where: Museum of Art and Photography, Shanthala Nagar; When: May 3, 11.30 am**

05 Fun frenzy



Olympian circus is bringing a circus experience with high-energy acts to entertain audiences. **Where: Chowdiah Memorial Hall, Malleshwaram; When: May 1 to 4, 4.30 pm and 7.30 pm**

Lokayukta demands action on waste crisis

Steps are being taken to improve waste management; number of BBMP engineers to be increased, and additional garbage collection vehicles shall be purchased, says BBMP official

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Expressing serious dissatisfaction over the growing number of black spots and failure to dispose of garbage effectively, the Lokayukta urged officials to adopt a more accountable work ethic moving forward

Hon'ble Lokayukta Justice BS Patil has issued strong directives to the officials of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) regarding the poor handling of solid waste management in the city. During a hearing held on Monday, concerning the East, South, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, and Dasarahalli zones, the Lokayukta expressed serious dissatisfaction over the growing number of black spots and failure to dispose of garbage effectively.

The hearing was part of an ongoing investigation into the corporation's performance in solid waste disposal and lake conservation across eight BBMP zones. Senior officers, including zonal commissioners and engineers, were summoned to appear in person and explain the situation.

Police officers from the Lokayukta organisation conducted surprise inspections and submitted photographic reports, exposing BBMP's shortcomings in waste management across multiple areas. Justice Patil took note of the findings and criticised the inefficiency of the civic body, urging officials to adopt a more accountable work ethic moving forward.

In a firm directive, officers were ordered to eliminate black spots across the city before the next inspection

Ramamani VK, Chief Operations Officer at BBMP, assured that steps are being taken to improve waste management. She stated that the number of engineers will be increased and tenders have been floated to purchase additional garbage collection vehicles. She also requested four months' time to streamline the system.

The Lokayukta, however, reminded BBMP officials that since the corporation collects a separate waste disposal tax from every household, it is their responsibility to ensure timely and clean waste management. He warned that the failure to manage waste is not only harming public health but also affecting the city's image.

In a firm directive, officers were ordered to eliminate black spots across the city before the next inspection. Justice Patil also directed installation of SIM-based CCTV cameras in vulnerable dumping areas to prevent illegal waste disposal. Special attention was given to the Yeshwanthpur area, where garbage has piled up along the railway tracks. The Lokayukta instructed BBMP to work in coordination with the Railway Department to clean these areas and submit a copy of the correspondence related to the issue. To avoid inconvenience to citizens during peak hours, BBMP has also been asked to streamline the movement of garbage trucks across the city.

BBMP grants more time for property tax rebate

The Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) has extended the deadline for the 5% rebate on property tax for the financial year 2025–26 to May 31, 2025, according to BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Giri Nath. Earlier, taxpayers who paid their full property tax dues by April 30, 2025, were eligible for the 5% rebate. However, under Section 144(8) of the BBMP Act, 2020, the BBMP has the authority to recommend an extension of the rebate period to the government through a notification. Based on this provision, the BBMP submitted a proposal seeking government approval for the extension. The Urban Development Department has now issued an official notification approving the revised deadline. All property owners within BBMP limits who pay their full property tax for 2025–26 by May 31, 2025, will continue to receive the 5% rebate. It may be noted that Bangalore Mirror had earlier reported that many residents in the city were demanding the extension.

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Officials warn against fake bookings

The management of Bannerghatta Biological Park (BBP), Bengaluru, has issued a public alert regarding a fraudulent website falsely claiming to offer online bookings for Safari, Zoo, and Butterfly Park tickets. Visitors are urged to book tickets only through the official website, at www.bannerughattabiopark.org, to avoid financial fraud, identity theft, or invalid bookings. "The park is actively coordinating with authorities to investigate the matter and pursue legal action against the perpetrators. Public are advised to stay cautious by verifying website uniform resource locators (URLs) before making payments and reporting any suspicious links to BBP," said Surya Sen AV, Deputy Conservator of Forests and Executive Director.

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World Password Day highlights cybersecurity concerns

In the face of rising cyberattacks, particularly cyber hacking, the importance of safeguarding personal and professional digital identities cannot be overstated. As the world celebrates World Password Day, experts warn that despite being a cornerstone of cybersecurity, many individuals still choose weak passwords, putting themselves at serious risk.

With the continued evolution of technology, the rise in cybercrime has made the need for robust digital identity protection more urgent than ever. Tyler Moffitt, Senior Security Analyst at OpenText Cybersecurity, emphasised that while the future points toward a passwordless world, with solutions like passkeys driven by device biometrics and public key cryptography, the road to full implementation is still in progress. By 2025, it's expected that 25% of the world's top 1,000 websites will adopt passkeys, which promise to reduce phishing attacks and data breaches, while also simplifying the user experience.

However, Moffitt cautioned that no solution is without challenges. Despite their promising potential, passkeys still face adoption hurdles, including limited platform support and unfamiliarity with biometric security amongst users. He highlighted that shifting to passwordless systems requires more than just new technologies, it demands strong security protocols, reliable recovery mechanisms, and continuous user education to avoid potential vulnerabilities.

Rohan Vaidya, Area Vice President for CyberArk in India and South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC), added that the blending of personal and professional digital spaces in India is increasing risks, especially when individuals reuse passwords across personal and corporate accounts. This practice increases the likelihood of a compromised credential jeopardising an entire organisation. Credential theft, which remains one of the most frequent causes of identity breaches, is a stark reminder of the need to reinforce identity security measures.

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Arjunaa Jewellers introduces new purchase plan

Arjunaa Jewellers has launched Sambhava, a new jewellery purchase plan. Under the plan, with 11 monthly contributions, Arjunaa adds the 12th month's contribution, doubling the redeemable gold weight based on average rates. Whether it's gold, silver, or diamonds, this plan brings your purchase within reach. Sambhava is a savings plan that helps you build jewellery for your family. For more details, visit Arjunaa Jewellers in Jayanagar, or go to www.arjunaa.in.

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Hacker redeems voucher as retailer fails to act on alert

Hacker fraudulently uses ₹2.2 lakh jewellery voucher from woman's hacked email and phone, despite her alerting retailer in advance; she files police complaint, alleging negligence and seeking reimbursement

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A Bengaluru resident, Deepthi (name changed), has alleged that hackers accessed her personal email accounts and mobile number on April 19 and used the stolen information to fraudulently redeem a jewellery voucher worth Rs 2.2 lakh at a reputed outlet.

According to Deepthi, despite promptly alerting the outlet's sales representatives on the same day about the compromise of her registered contact details, no preventive action was taken. She had called the store from her husband's phone, urgently requesting that her customer profile be frozen after receiving multiple OTPs and suspicious messages linked to her account.

However, she received confirmation the very next day that her voucher had been redeemed. A subsequent inquiry revealed that two separate purchases, one worth Rs 32,000 and another for Rs 1.86 lakh, had been made from the retailer's Indore branch using fraudulent credentials. While one item was scheduled for delivery in Indore, the other was allegedly picked up in-store by an impersonator who had successfully changed her contact information using the hacked email ID.

Despite clear red flags and prior warning, the retailer claimed it had followed standard procedures, citing that the requests came from the customer's registered email.

However, there was no verification of key personal details, such as date of birth, where inconsistencies were reportedly present, nor was there any direct communication between customer support and the store before fulfilling the order.

The victim has since written to the CEO of the jewellery chain, demanding accountability for the failure to act on her timely alerts. She has also filed a formal complaint, seeking either the reinstatement of her voucher or a full reimbursement of the Rs 2.2 lakh that was lost in the fraud.

A case has been registered under the CEN police station (East division), and authorities have been urged to investigate both the hacking incident and the jewellery outlet's role in the alleged lapse of customer protection protocol.

Under the IT Act, nearly 16 cases of email spoofing and fraud were registered by March this year alone, marking a significant rise compared to the overall total of just 9 cases reported throughout 2024. This sharp increase within the first quarter of the year is concerning, highlighting a growing trend in such cyber scams.

Govt clerk's identity misused

An acting clerk working with the Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (DPAR), Government of Karnataka, has lodged a complaint after discovering that an unknown individual has been impersonating them on WhatsApp.

According to the complaint, the impersonator has been using the government official's name and photograph from an unconnected mobile number to send messages via WhatsApp. The complainant clarified that they have no association with the said number and that their personal and professional identity has been misused without consent.

An FIR has been registered under the CEN police station (Central division), and the complaint seeks that the individual responsible for this impersonation be identified and strict legal action be taken under relevant cybercrime laws.

Speeding lorry crushes pourakarmika to death

A speeding tipper lorry ran over a pourakarmika while she was performing her cleaning duties near Dhobighat Junction in Vijayanagar at around 6:30 am on Tuesday. The victim, identified as 50-year-old Sarojamma, was hit close to Variar Bakery, within the limits of the Vijayanagar Traffic Police Station.

According to the police complaint filed by her son, Pratap G (31), Sarojamma had left home early that morning to report for her BBMP duties at the ward office located near West of Chord Road. While she was sweeping the road near the Dhobighat signal, a speeding tipper lorry ran over her, causing severe injuries. Eyewitnesses informed her son that the vehicle, which was waiting at the signal near SPS School, suddenly moved forward carelessly, knocking Sarojamma down as she attempted to cross the road. The left front wheel of the lorry ran over her head, resulting in critical trauma and bleeding from the ears, along with injuries to her limbs.

Locals present at the scene immediately informed Pratap, who rushed to the spot. Sarojamma was found unconscious and bleeding heavily. With the help of the public and the responding officers from the Vijayanagar Traffic Police, she was taken to Victoria Hospital. However, doctors declared her dead on arrival, stating she had succumbed to her injuries en route.

The lorry driver reportedly fled the scene after the accident, abandoning the vehicle at the spot. Following the complaint, a case has been registered under the Vijayanagar Police Station, and investigations are currently underway.

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Neighbours gather to lift spirits of injured resident

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It was a small Sunday evening gathering at Navya Nagar near Jakkur, but one that deserves to be emulated across all localities. The initiative aimed to empathize with and support those dealing with depression and loneliness. Many families on the outskirts often don't know their neighbours. Efforts like these help build connections and offer moral support when it's needed most.

Kiran Reddy, who built his house in Navya Nagar a year ago, had been bedridden for over two months after a serious road accident. Due to busy schedules, he and his neighbours barely interacted. Moved by his condition, a group of neighbours—led by Mamata N. Swamy, Coordinator of Art of Giving—organized a visit to show solidarity and support.

"I was very happy when my neighbours came. They brought food and sang songs. It meant a lot," said Kiran.

Mohan Krishna, a neighbour, said, "Though Kiran lived here for a year, I never spoke to him. Spending time with him felt meaningful. We are living in cages, not homes. We must connect more."

He added that abroad, he met neighbours only once every few years and hoped local residents would do better.

Neighbours singing songs at Kiran Reddy's house at Navya Nagar near Jakkur

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NGT directs immediate action on Yelahanka lake sewage

BBMP and BWSSB have 45 days to finish pipeline work and stop sewage inflow into Yelahanka Puttenahalli Lake, as ordered by the NGT before monsoon

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The National Green Tribunal (NGT) has directed the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) and the Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board (BWSSB) to submit a sketch outlining the remaining revival work at the Yelahanka Puttenahalli Bird Conservation Reserve. The green court has also instructed the agencies to complete the lake revival work before the onset of monsoon. "It would be appropriate for them (BBMP and BWSSB) to furnish a sketch indicating the separate jobs yet to be carried out or executed. It is for the authorities to take appropriate action to prevent sewage from mixing with stormwater drains, which would then enter the lake. However, the authorities are directed to complete as much as possible before the onset of the monsoon," noted NGT. With only a couple of months left before monsoon sets in, the concern about pending lake revival work has also been raised by the members of Yelahanka Puttenahalli Lake Trust and locals in the area.

Following NGT's earlier order in March, a committee under the chairmanship of BWSSB was constituted to track work progress and file a report. After deliberations, the committee stated that the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike would install 1600mm diameter RCC pipelines over a length of 600 meters to carry rainwater mixed with sewage from un-sewered areas, such as village panchayats. The 110 villages missed during low-intensity rainfall will also be addressed. The timeline requested for this work is 45 days.

Similarly, the BWSSB is tasked with laying a 700mm diameter RCC trunk sewer over a distance of 600 meters along the Puttenahalli Lake bund walkway, parallel to the BBMP's RCC diversion line. This will carry sewage from the Ananthapura Village sewer network by natural gradient for further treatment. A timeline of 45 days has also been requested for this project.

During the meeting, the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board was instructed to issue notices and impose penalties immediately on all properties discharging untreated sewage into the stormwater drain. The Deputy Commissioner of Bengaluru Urban was also directed to instruct the executive officers of the panchayats to take immediate action to prevent sewage from entering the stormwater drains from the panchayat limits.

The Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) was directed to prioritise the sewage network and STP works in the Puttenahalli catchment area. Even the 45 days mentioned in the Committee's report may not be sufficient for the completion of the work. While providing the details, the officials are also instructed to include the survey numbers and classification of the land, and ensure that the structures do not extend into the lake's buffer zone.

Last May, sewage had entered the reserve after rain and left it in this shape

> "It is for the authorities to prevent sewage from mixing with storm water drains and entering the lake
> – National Green Tribunal

BM had reported on April 27 about committee asking KSPCB to issue notices over the issue

Police urge caution during online interaction

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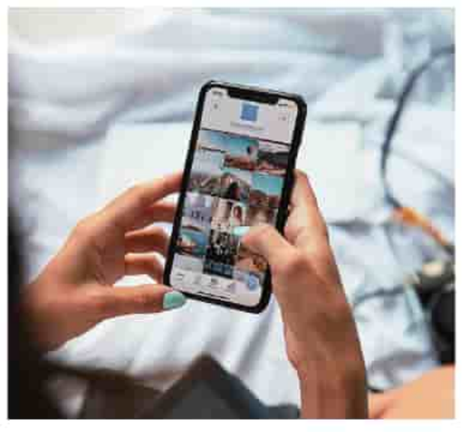
these fraudsters often use fake profiles to lure victims, initiate suggestive conversations, and then trap them through recorded or edited footage that can be used to demand money.

"Just one wrong click or a single deceptive connection on social media can compromise your privacy, finances, and peace of mind. Cybercriminals are constantly exploiting trust through seemingly friendly profiles. It's essential to think critically before engaging online or risk facing consequences you never anticipated," cybercrime expert Mirza Faizan Assad told BM.

'Exercise caution while interacting online'

Authorities have been observing a surge in complaints involving fake profiles, morphed videos, and intimidation through digital means. Scammers have found new ways to exploit trust built through casual online interactions, often targeting individuals who are unaware or unsuspecting of such schemes.



Between January and September 2023, Bengaluru reported 84 sextortion cases, with victims collectively losing approximately ₹97.45 lakh. The Bengaluru Police managed to recover ₹8.67 lakh for the complainants. Authorities have also dismantled organised sextortion rackets. In one case, a woman named Neha, alias Meher, allegedly honey-trapped over 50 men, coercing them into paying substantial sums. While three members of her gang were arrested, Neha remains at large. The Bengaluru Police urge citizens to exercise caution when interacting online, especially with unknown individuals on social media platforms and dating apps. They recommend promptly reporting any suspicious activity to the national cyber crime helpline at 1930 to increase the chances of recovering lost funds.

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Cubbonpet

A pothole at the 13th Cross intersection on the main road in Cubbonpet is causing a serious trouble for motorists, particularly two-wheeler riders. The narrow road, with traffic on both sides, puts riders at great risk

Neglected streets

Church Road

The situation on 4th Cross, Church Road in Shanthinagar is steadily deteriorating as garbage continues to pile up. Sadly, the growing mess is being overlooked by many, leaving residents frustrated and helpless.

Abandoned vehicles

Kithiganur

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Bike taxis can run till June 15

The Karnataka High Court has extended the deadline for bike taxi operators, including Rapido, to cease operations until June 15, modifying its previous order from April 2.

Justice B Shyam Prasad had initially directed all bike taxi services to stop operations in Karnataka within six weeks through an order dated April 2. The Court had previously clarified that bike taxis could not operate unless the State government established appropriate rules and guidelines through policy changes. The original six-week deadline for halting bike operations in Karnataka was due to end in May.

On Tuesday, affected operators including Roppen Transportation Services (Rapido's owner), along with OLA and Uber, who were planning to enter the bike taxi sector, requested the Court for an extension. Roppen's application, filed a day earlier, stated that they had submitted representations to various State authorities. Additionally, discussions were held between Roppen and the State regarding the matter. During these discussions, the State was asked to develop guidelines or policies for bike taxi operations.

Roppen informed that the State government is currently considering developing a comprehensive policy for bike taxis in Karnataka. "This policy has the potential to enhance last-mile connectivity, reduce traffic congestion and support sustainable urban mobility. The government's proactive approach in this regard could position Karnataka as a leader in modernising transportation systems," as stated in the application. — BMB

Same accused, but trial can be different

The Karnataka High Court has clarified that Section 219 of Criminal Procedure Code does not require two separate cheque bouncing cases, prosecuted by different complainants from distinct causes of action, to be tried together merely because the accused individual is the same.

Justice Shivashankar Amarannavar issued this ruling whilst dismissing a petition by Puttanagouda, who had contested a trial court order. The order had denied his request for a single trial of two cases registered under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act against him. The petitioner had noted that the alleged offences occurred within a year's time frame.

The court elaborated on the provision, stating that Section 219 only indicates that when someone faces multiple offences of similar nature within twelve months, they may be tried together, limited to three cases. The court deemed the petitioner's argument based on this provision as unfounded, noting that typically each distinct offence requires a separate charge and trial under Section 218. — BMB

Liquor lobbies out, excise dept plans to e-auction shop licences

Licences suspended or not renewed since 1979 to get new lease of life

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In a significant move to regulate the liquor trade and curb the influence of powerful lobbies, the Karnataka Excise Department has decided to redistribute nearly 600 liquor shop licences including those of CL-2 (retail shops), CL-9 (bars and restaurants), and pending MSIL outlets through an e-auction for the first time.

The department aims to revive licences that have been suspended or left unrenewed for years, some dating back as far as 1979. By implementing this new system, the government expects to generate around ₹1,600 crore in revenue, according to officials.

Currently, 136 CL-2 licences and 105 CL-9 licences have not been renewed due to a range of complications. These include unresolved family disputes among licence holders, unclear ownership transfers, non-payment of renewal fees, and ineligibility due to heirs working in government positions or other profit-making roles. Additionally, 271 MSIL outlets that were approved by the government are yet to begin operations.

"Under the present rules, licence holders must renew their permits annually. While about 90% comply, a significant number have failed to do so, leading to closures and loss of revenue for the department," a senior excise official said.

MSIL Shops still pending

The state-run Mysore Sales International Ltd (MSIL) had been sanctioned to open 1,363 retail liquor outlets (CL-11C) under quotas announced in 2009 and 2016. Of these, 1,133 received the green light, but 41 are currently non-operational, and 230 still await final approval. To address this, the Excise Department has sent a proposal to the Finance Department seeking permission to relocate these suspended licences to private players via e-auction. The objective is to plug revenue leaks and introduce greater transparency in the allocation process.

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> **Karnataka will e-auction nearly 600 long-suspended liquor licences, aiming to generate about Rs 1,600 crore**
>
> —excise official

CM gives green signal

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah has reportedly backed the e-auction initiative. In his budget speech delivered in March, he hinted at major reforms aimed at reducing manipulation and eliminating backdoor entries in the liquor licensing process.

Taming the liquor lobby

The move is also being seen as an effort to dismantle the long-standing influence of the liquor lobby, which has historically played a dominant role in licence allocation. Several political figures and their associates are known to have used their clout to secure licences. Wealthy entities already running multiple outlets have often managed to acquire even more. There are also allegations that some senior excise officials have obtained licences under benami names and are operating liquor outlets unofficially.

"The e-auction method aims to bring greater transparency and accountability to the licensing process. The excise official added, "This move is expected to not only enhance the state's revenue but also ensure a fair and competitive environment in the liquor trade."

Man dies after drink dare goes horribly wrong

In a separate but related development highlighting the darker side of liquor consumption, a tragic incident has come to light in Bengaluru. A 21-year-old labourer, Kartik, lost his life after accepting a reckless drinking challenge from his friends. He had reportedly bet ₹10,000 that he could consume five full bottles of whiskey without mixing it with water.

Shortly after the stunt, Kartik became violently ill and was rushed to the Mulbagal Government Hospital. Tragically, he died before receiving treatment. Just a year into his marriage, Kartik had become a father only eight days before the incident.

His friends, Munivenkatreddy and Subrahmanya, are among six people named in a police complaint filed by Kartik's grieving family. The complaint accuses them of encouraging him to take the fatal risk, despite being aware of the dangers involved.

Cost no bar, gold demand stays high this festival time

City jewellers report a 10% rise in advance bookings despite price surge jitters

Despite gold prices crossing ₹1 lakh per 10 grams for the first time, demand remains strong ahead of Akshaya Tritiya, with jewellery bookings starting nearly 15 days ago, fuelled by festive sentiment and the upcoming wedding season.

Jewellers across Karnataka have reported a 10% rise in advance bookings compared to last year, though the quantity of gold purchased per customer has slightly dipped. Many buyers are now viewing gold primarily as a long-term investment rather than for immediate use.

The price spike in April 2024 was particularly sharp, with rates reaching ₹6,700 per gram, a surge of over ₹10,000 in a short period unlike the earlier pattern of gradual hikes of ₹50–₹100 per gram annually. This steep increase has triggered speculation that prices could touch ₹12,000 per gram within six months, aligning with the peak of the wedding season.

As of April 26, 22-carat gold is priced at ₹9,005 per gram, 24-carat at ₹9,636 per gram, and silver at ₹99,200 per kilogram.

Despite the record-high rates, sentiment around gold remains positive, with the Karnataka State Jewellers' Association estimating nearly ₹82,000 crore in transactions this festive season. Traditional jewellery, coins, and pendants continue to see strong demand, with half-gram gold coins priced around ₹5,000 attracting budget-conscious buyers.

IN BRIEF

Hoax bomb threat at Acharya College

The Soladevanahalli police have launched an investigation after Acharya College received a hoax bomb threat via email on Tuesday. The complaint was filed by Manish Kumar Thakur, Chief Operating Officer of the institution, prompting the police to register an FIR against an unidentified person.

According to the complaint, the email claimed that a bomb had been planted on campus and would be detonated. It also included a disturbing threat directed at the principal, stating that their head would be chopped off and placed in a refrigerator.

Thakur told police he suspected the email might be a phishing attempt or a deliberate act to create panic and disrupt normal functioning on campus.

The accused has been booked under Section 351(4) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita for criminal intimidation committed anonymously or while concealing identity. Further investigation is underway. **BMB**

Alok Mohan to remain in office till May 21

The Karnataka government has extended the tenure of Director General and Inspector General of Police (DG & IGP) Alok Mohan by 21 days, allowing him to remain in office until May 21. He was originally scheduled to retire on April 30.

The extension marks a shift in the state's approach to police leadership, in line with the Supreme Court's directives in the Prakash Singh vs Union of India case. The ruling mandates that the DG & IGP must be selected from among the three senior-most IPS officers empanelled by the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) and must serve a fixed two-year term, irrespective of retirement age.

Karnataka has now adopted this rule-based system, moving away from the earlier practice of political discretion in such appointments.

To begin the selection process, the state government has sent a list of five senior IPS officers to the UPSC. **BMB**

Bike-borne men harass women in auto

Two men have been arrested for allegedly harassing two young women who were traveling in an auto-rickshaw near Sarakki Market on April 23. The accused, identified as Mubarak and Hafeez, residents of Banashankari, reportedly followed the women on a bike, intercepted the auto, and passed lewd comments.

The situation escalated when the mother of one of the women intervened. She was verbally abused and insulted with vulgar language by the duo.

A complaint was lodged at the Kumaraswamy Layout Police Station by the mother, following which an FIR was registered. The police later arrested the accused. Officials confirmed that further investigation is underway. **BMB**

CRIME FILES

Gold on the go: Thieves and wheels

Distress of stolen gold unfolds across Bengaluru, from major heists involving stolen jewellery worth lakhs of rupees to personal rings swiped by fake sadhus

Bommanahalli police have solved three house burglary cases involving two women who used an autorickshaw to search for empty homes. Police recovered 130 grams of gold jewellery and seized the vehicle, with a total value of ₹11 lakh.

The case surfaced on March 18, 2025, after a Garvebhavipalya resident reported a break-in involving ₹3 lakh in cash and gold stolen. Police began an investigation and, using informer inputs and surveillance, arrested two women near Adugodi Signal on April 2. One of the accused, Nilofer, worked as an autorickshaw driver, while her accomplice, Shabreen Taj, assisted in the burglaries. During interrogation, they confessed and admitted to two more break-ins under the Mico Layout Police limits. They told police they had sold the stolen gold at jewellery shops. Police served notices to the shop owners, who returned the stolen ornaments on April 10. The duo was produced before the court and remanded to police custody on April 3 and then to judicial custody on April 11.

In another case, Bommanahalli police arrested two women and recovered stolen jewellery worth ₹3 lakh in a gold theft involving a house break-in. On February 6, a resident of Kaveri Nagar returned home after visiting a friend, only to discover that thieves had broken into his house and vanished with 30 grams of gold ornaments. Acting on leads, police arrested a suspect near Canara Bank, Begur, on February 28. He confessed to the crime and disclosed his accomplice's identity. He was remanded for 19 days in police custody.

On March 19, police arrested the second accused near D-Mart on Kodichikkanahalli Main Road. He, too, confessed to the theft. The duo was later remanded to judicial custody on April 25.

Police uncover ₹30L heist

Returning from a trip to Mysore, a man found his house broken into and valuables missing. KR Puram police arrested a suspect and recovered gold and silver worth ₹30 lakh.

The investigation began on October 15, 2024, when a resident of Akshaya Nagar

Using spiritual theatrics, conman dressed as a Nagasadhu tricked driver & vanished with his gold ring

in Ramamurthy Nagar filed a complaint stating that his home had been broken into during a family trip to Mysore. The thieves had forced entry, looting 306 grams of gold jewellery and 1 kg of silver articles from the locked closet.

After months of investigation and crucial leads from informants, the police nabbed the accused near Huskoor Lake, Electronics City, on April 10, 2025. During interrogation, the suspect confessed to the burglary and revealed the involvement of an accomplice.

Further inquiries led the police to recover 123 grams of gold and 13 grams of silver from the accused's residence in Agrahara, Konappa, on April 16. Jewellery shop owners in TC Palya, Devasandra, Medahalli, and Seegehalli were served notices, leading to the seizure of another 183 grams of gold and 987 grams of silver, brought to the station on April 18 and 19.

Thief arrested, gold recovered

A man returned home to find his front door broken and gold ornaments missing after spending a night at a friend's house. The case, which unfolded on March 16, 2025, was cracked by KR Puram Police, leading to the arrest of a serial thief already in custody in KGF.

According to the complainant, he found his front door wide open upon returning home. He filed a complaint at the KR Puram Police Station on March 17, initiating an investigation. Following multiple leads, the police tracked down a suspect linked to an earlier theft case in Anderson Town (KGF). With court approval, the accused was brought into police custody on April 7. The accused, identified as Ajju alias Prakash, along with other accomplices, was arrested based on CCTV evidence. During interrogation, he admitted to the crime and revealed he had sold the stolen gold at a jewellery shop in Chintamani, along with an accomplice who remains at large. The accused was produced in court on April 16 and returned to KGF Jail.

Fake sadhu steals ring

A man posing as a Nagasadhu tricked a car driver in Vyalikaval on April 19 and fled with a 10-gram gold ring. The driver reported the theft to the High Ground police.

Venkatakrishnaiah, a driver, was waiting by his vehicle near a private hotel when a saffron-clad man approached, claiming to be a Nagasadhu. The man asked for a five-minute rest and handed the driver five rudrakshis, asking him to return one. After the bead was returned, the man wrapped it in paper and revealed it as a flower, claiming it was a sign of divine blessing and that Lakshmi would favour the driver.

The fraudster gained the driver's trust and asked for his gold ring. After applying ash to the driver's forehead, the sadhu told him to walk ahead without turning back to avoid bad luck. When the driver returned, the man had disappeared. The driver filed a complaint, and High Ground police are now searching for the conman. —BMB

Missing family found dead

A man and his two children died after their car plunged into a canal near the Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) reservoir in Srirangapatna taluk. The victims have been identified as Kumaraswamy (38), his son Advaith (8), and daughter Akshata (3) — residents originally from KR Nagar in Mysuru district, who had been living in Bengaluru. The family had left Bengaluru in their car on April 16, intending to travel to their hometown, KR Nagar. However, when they failed to reach their destination, concerned relatives filed a missing persons complaint at the KR Nagar Police Station on April 19.

On Tuesday, water levels in a canal near the north bank of the KRS reservoir receded, revealing a submerged car. Upon inspection, the lifeless bodies of the two children were found inside the vehicle, later followed by the discovery of their father's body nearby. Initial assessments suggest the car veered off the road and into the canal in an accident. —BMB

Two arrested in MDMA drug racket

Amruthahalli Police have arrested two individuals for selling the banned drug MDMA crystal and seized 225 grams of the contraband, valued at 25 lakh.

Acting on a tip-off received on the evening of April 7, police were informed that a man was peddling MDMA crystals near Rachenahalli Lake. A case was promptly registered under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act, and a team raided the location. One suspect was apprehended at the scene.

Upon interrogation, the accused revealed that he was procuring MDMA from an accomplice based in Mangalore. The duo operated a racket where they sourced the drug at a low cost and sold it to young individuals in Bengaluru at higher prices for profit. Authorities seized 225 grams of MDMA crystal from the first accused. On April 8, the arrested individual was produced before the court and remanded to police custody for five days. The police tracked down and arrested the second accused on April 10. Both individuals were presented before the Court on April 12. —BMB

Urban heat island intensity ranges from 1.25–2.61 Degree C

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The analysis also showed clear temperature patterns within the rural and urban boundaries of the city, with elevated temperatures in the central part when compared with the outlying regions. Researchers concluded that UHI is rising in metropolitan areas, causing heat discomfort for humans and the environment.

The temperature difference between rural and urban areas – called Urban Heat Island Intensity (UHII) – showed that the average UHII value was lowest in 2001 and highest in 2003, with a drastic change.

This sudden increase in average UHI value can be attributed to the rapid urbanisation caused by construction, because the city became a cyber hub between 2001 and 2003.

"The urban heat island intensity ranged from 1.25 °C to 2.61 °C at night, with an average of 1.97 °C. After that, the average UHI intensity is continuously increasing in trend, which shows that the UHI phenomenon is significant. The annual average difference in temperature between rural and urban areas ranges from 4.65 °C to 6.69 °C. Moreover, this difference in summer night-time ranged from 5.04 °C to 7.12 °C," noted the researchers.

Land surface

The study also highlights that the concentration of air pollution is directly linked to the land surface temperature, emphasising the need to alleviate urban heat, as well as to enhance air quality and promote sustainability.

"There is a need to develop sustainable urban strategies, to reduce the negative effects of uncontrolled urbanisation in Bengaluru to benefit locals," said researchers.

The study was conducted by researchers from the National Institute of Technology in Tiruchirappalli, SR University in Warangal, Taibah University in Saudi Arabia, University of Khartoum in Sudan, Qassim University in Buraydah, and Tartous University in Syria.

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SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY

SCHEDULE-A

All that piece and parcel of property bearing the Plot.No.44 in Sy.No.33/3 A-1, situated at Rajagopala Road,Geddalahalli, Sanjay Nagar, measuring 50 feet North to South on the eastern side, 79 feet North to South on the Western Side, and East to West 236 feet on the Northern Side and 190 Feet on the Southern side and bounded on the: **East By:** Road **West By:** D.Rajagopala Road, **North By:** Vacant land belonging to HAL (Now Park) **South By:** Property bearing.No.45.

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I, Jitendra Kumar, R/at #02, Shree Apartment, K.V Lane, 2nd Cross, near Radha Krishna Lodge, Cottonpet, Bengaluru-560053 have changed our minor daughter name from KIYARA RANKA to KIARA RANKA, vide affidavit dt: 28.04.2025 sworn before notary R. Basavaraja, Bengaluru.

I, GANESHA BHATTA A S, Residing at No 525,78th Crs, Near Raghavendra Mutt, Kumaraswamy Layout Bangalore - 560111, have changed my name to A S GANESH BHAT, vide affidavit dated 25/04/2025. sworn before notary Venkataraju H G, Bangalore.

I, JAIVARDHAN GOYAL, S/o SHARAD KUMAR GOYAL, aged about 25 years, residing at A-005, Greencity Eutopia, 16th Main Road, Stage-2, BTM Layout, Bengaluru-560076, have changed my name from JAIVARDHAN SHARAD GOYAL to JAIVARDHAN GOYAL vide affidavit dated 26th April 2025 sworn before Advocate & Notary Mr K. V. Mani, Bengaluru.

I SHAIK MOHAMMED ASGAR also known as MAHEEN S/o SHAIK DASTAGIR R/o No 32 3rd Cross Someshwaranagar Jayanagar 1st Block Bangalore 560011 have changed my name to Shaik Mohammed Asgar Maheen for all Purposes

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I, Kavitha Rathanchand, W/o Jitendra Kumar, R/at #02, Shree Apartment, K.V Lane, 2nd Cross, near Radha Krishna Lodge, Cottonpet, Bengaluru-560053 have changed my name to KAVITHA, vide affidavit dt: 28.04.2025 sworn before notary R. Basavaraja, Bengaluru.

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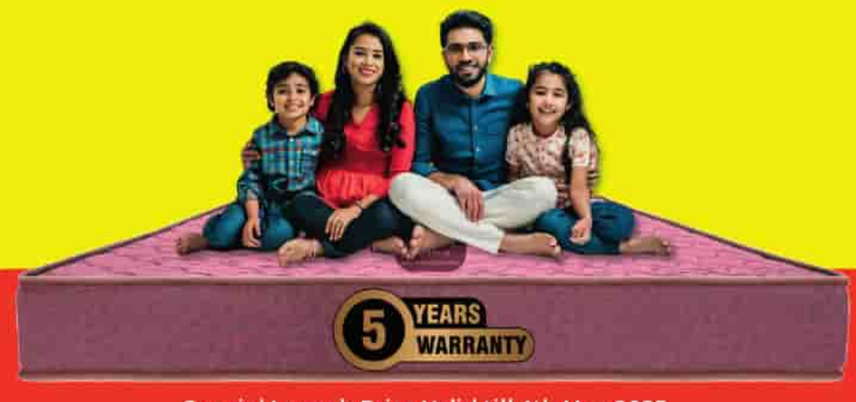

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Stellar cast & more

Director Puri Jagannadh, known for his films Appu, Veera Kannadiga, and Yuvaraja, is all set to prove his mettle once again with his upcoming Pan-India spectacle, featuring a stellar cast led by Vijay Sethupathi. Actress Tabu is set to play a pivotal role in this project, produced by Puri Jagannadh and Charmy Kaur under the Puri Connects banner.

According to the grapevine, the movie is to have the title – Beggar. If all goes well, the movie is scheduled to go on floors in June.

The latest addition to the movie is Sandalwood dynamo Vijay Kumar aka Duniya Vijay, known for his magnetic screen presence and high-octane performances. This is the second straight Telugu movie for Vijay Kumar, after the blockbuster Veera Simha Reddy in which Nandamuri 'Balakrishna played the lead. It was released in January 2023. Duniya Vijay, as a villain, became popular among Telugu moviegoers.

Vijay Sethupathi is expected to play a dashing role.

About drug victims

Praveen Nayak, who began his career as a photojournalist and graduated as director, makes a comeback with the film Tequila. Nayak has handled the megaphone for Z, Meese Chiguridaaga, and Hoo Anthiya Uhoo Anthiya.

The movie, bankrolled by Maradihalli Nagachandra under the Shri Siddhivinayaka Films banner, is scheduled for release next month.

The team of the movie organised an event to unveil two songs of the movie that feature Dharma Keerthiraj, Nikhita Swamy, Nagendra Urs, Kote Prabhakar, Suman, Jayaraj, Sushmita, and Praveen Nayak.

Nayak said that he has read numerous articles on the mind. "I realised that every human being faces one or the other problem in his life. My wife and I wrote the script for this movie. I want to convey a message to society through this movie. The movie emphasises on the importance of taking the right decision at the right time. It also conveys that delaying a decision will serve no purpose. It also deals with the ill-effects and dangers of drugs," the director said.

QUEEN FOR KING?

Reports suggest Deepika has been locked for SRK's next project

Shah Rukh Khan has confirmed that his next project is 'King'. While he has revealed that his 'Pathaan' director Siddharth Anand will helm the project, the superstar has not yet confirmed that Abhishek Bachchan and daughter Suhana Khan are a part of the film, despite reports.

And now since a while, there are speculations that Deepika Padukone is also a part of 'King'. Now a latest report in Pinkvilla has confirmed that DP is locked in for the film. This is the first project that she will get back to, after the birth of her daughter. This news portal has quoted a source saying, "Shah Rukh Khan was always clear to have Deepika Padukone on board for King. Initially, the dates were not matching as Deepika was taking time off to be with the newborn kid, and also hitting the gym to get back in shape. Due to a delay in the schedules of King, the timelines aligned and she is back on board the film."

The report further suggested that due to the schedules not matching, SRK had zeroed in on Kareena Kapoor Khan and Katrina Kaif for the film. However, now Deepika is ready to do the movie. The source further told the portal, "After all the discussions, and setting the shoot timelines, everything has aligned well to have Deepika Padukone on board the film. It's 10 to 12 days of shoot for Deepika, making it more of an extended cameo.

She will be shooting for her role in October. Apart from Deepika Padukone, team King has another impactful role in the film, which warrants the presence of a senior superstar like Mr. Amitabh Bachchan, but there is no clarity on the status-quo of the same at this point of time."

The film is set to go on floors in Mumbai from May 18 onwards.

—ETimes

Gary Oldman apologises to Demi Moore

Hollywood legend Gary Oldman tendered an apology to actress to Demi Moore for his "destructive" behaviour on the set of 'The Scarlet Letter'. The 67-year-old actor starred opposite the actress in the 1995 romance classic, reports 'Female First UK'. He has recalled how his "intermittent bouts of boozing" on set left his castmate "disappointed" in him.

He told Radio Times magazine, "I think the worst thing you can do is inspire disappointment. I was in 'The Scarlet Letter' with Demi Moore, and I had intermittent bouts of boozing during filming. It was towards the end of (my drinking) where I thought, 'If I carry on like this'. He added, "I was in a very dark place. I drank too much in the lunch hour. It was such a destructive thing. I got back on the set to do quite a big scene and I got through it".

Although it wasn't apparent in his performances, the 'Harry Potter' star confessed he was "quite tipsy" during filming.—IANS

Spooky encounter

Actress Nushrratt Bharuccha recently opened up about a chilling paranormal experience she had while staying at a hotel in Delhi. She recounted how what seemed to be an ordinary night turned into a spine-tingling affair that left her terrified and rushing to leave the place. During a podcast episode of Khooni Monday, she said, "I was in a hotel for five hours. I don't remember the name of the hotel, but I do remember the room number. Later, I asked the receptionist to never give that room to anyone again. I told them, "This is a haunted room."

She explained that she was staying alone in a hotel room for a few hours before catching an early morning flight. She had placed her hard-top suitcase partially open on the bed, with one side standing upright and the other lying flat, and went to sleep. "Suddenly, I heard a sound and woke up. I thought maybe the staff had come to wake me up for the flight. I turned and asked, 'Are you guys here? Is it time to go? Should I wake up?' But no one answered. I said again, 'Guys?' Still no answer... I went out for a walk. When I returned, my bag was now on the floor in the exact same position, and three things were out of it. I screamed and ran. I said, 'I'm going to the flight in my nightdress; you guys can bring the bag. I'm never going back to that hotel again," she said. On the work front, Nushrratt is starring in the horror drama web series 'Chhorii 2' alongside Soha Ali Khan. On the work front, Nushrratt Bharuccha is currently starring in the horror drama web series 'Chhorii 2' alongside Soha Ali Khan. —ETimes

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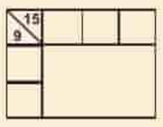
Kakuro

The numbers in the grey squares refer to the sums of the digits that you must fill into the empty spaces directly below or to the right of the grey square containing the number. For instance, in the given example, the 3 boxes horizontally next to 15 must contain 3 digits that add up to 15, whereas for 9, it is the 2 boxes placed vertically under it that must add up to 9. No zeros are used here, only the digits 1 through 9.



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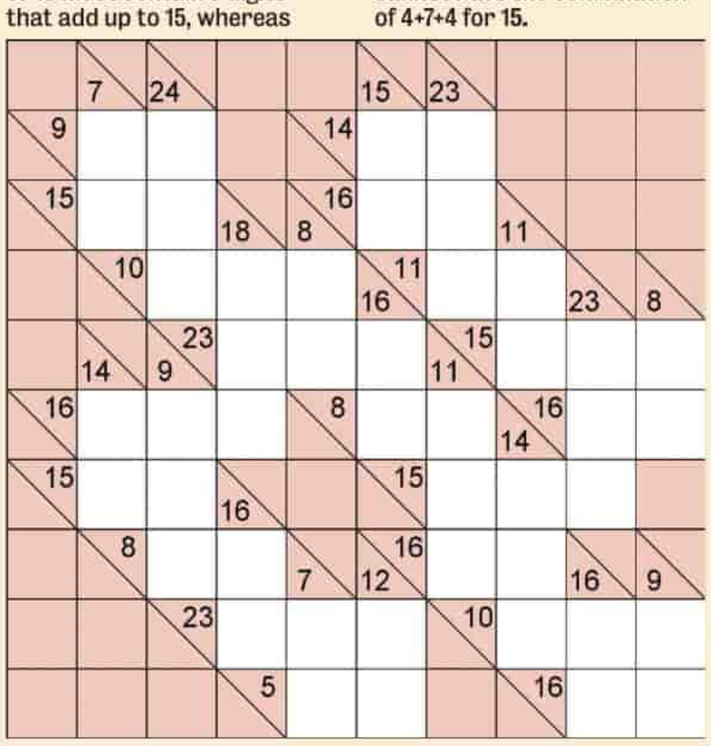

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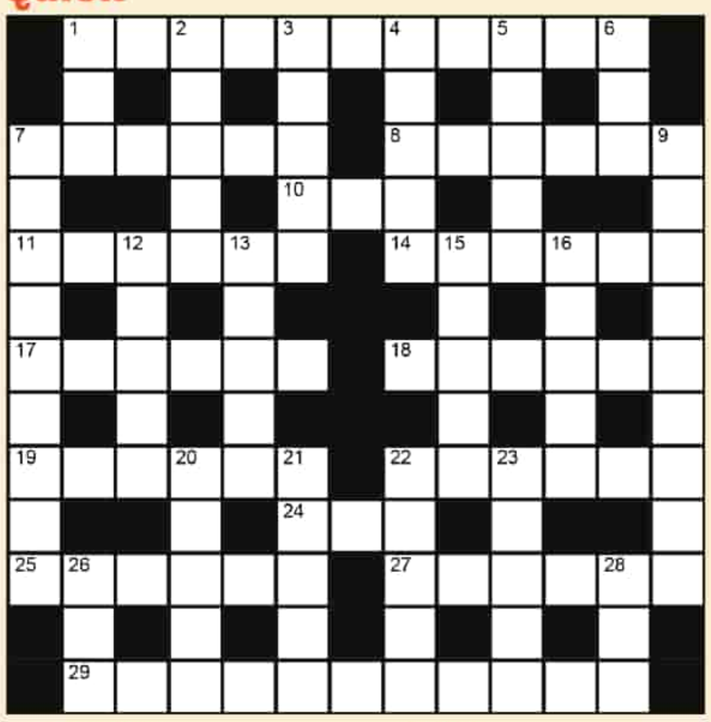


ACROSS

1 Understands, grasps or surmises (11)
7 State of equilibrium (6)
8 Struck with a great force (6)
10 Equipment (3)
11 Cluttered (6)
14 12 constellations (6)
17 Called to, praised or lauded (6)
18 Spicy sausage (6)
19 Overwhelm, flow over (6)
22 Sesame paste (6)
24 Three for the Roman (3)
25 It connects a muscle to a bone (6)
27 Imposing a penalty (6)
29 Eternal or endless (11)

DOWN

1 Sever (3)
2 Inter Miami and Argentina striker (5)
3 Hazardous or venturesome (5)
4 Unit of frequency (5)
5 Not the type of person to settle down? (5)
6 Ursula's film (3)
7 Karnataka lies on India's ___-___ coast (5-4)
9 Taking for a ride, making a fool of (9)
12 Article or object (5)
13 Reside or inhabit (5)
15 City in Japan (5)
16 Indian cricket's ___ Trophy (5)
20 Excessive (5)
21 Last (5)
22 Spats (5)
23 Indian language (5)
26 An organ of sight (3)
28 An old horse (3)

Quoteuncode

This puzzle is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that Q equals C, it will equal C throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

Today's CLUE: T EQUALS G

RB TCYA RECR VEYPE YL VBXRE ECGYAT, YR JCF HS ASPSLLCXF RB OBLS SGSXFREYAT SOLS.

Linemaro

Your eyes are like the ocean; I could swim in them all day

Mindchow

He knows not his own strength that hath not met adversity

Joke of the day

Describing her first day back in grade school after a long absence, a teacher said, it was like trying to hold 35 corks under water at the same time

Loop

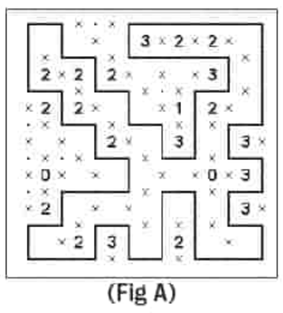
Rules

» Connect adjacent dots with vertical or horizontal lines, creating a single loop (Fig A). » Crossovers or branches are not allowed (As shown by dotted lines in Fig B). » Numbers in the puzzle indicate the number of lines that should surround it, while empty cells may be surrounded by any number of lines. » You can't draw lines around zeros. » Each puzzle has just one unique solution.

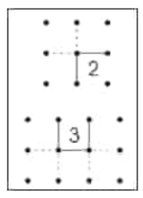
How to begin:

Example (Fig A) – Begin with the zero next to 3. Since no lines can be drawn around zero, mark crosses around it, as shown. Now there is a cross in one space around 3. So we know the three lines of 3 can only be drawn in the remaining three spaces. Next, these lines can only be extended in one direction each. Continue, using the same logic.

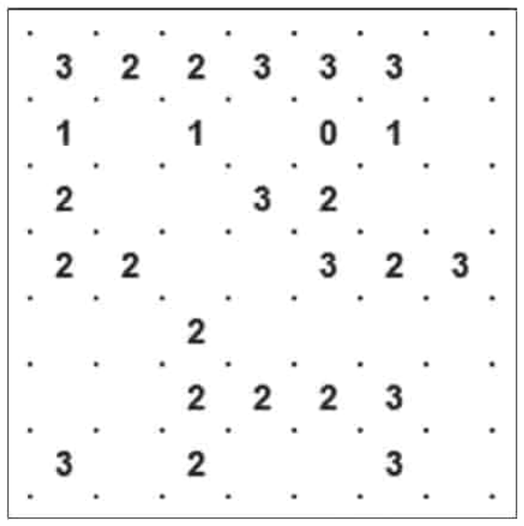
Hints: Keep eliminating possibilities by marking crosses in spaces between dots where a line isn't possible, i.e., if you have already completed required lines or where a line extension may create a branch or cause a dead-end (Fig B)



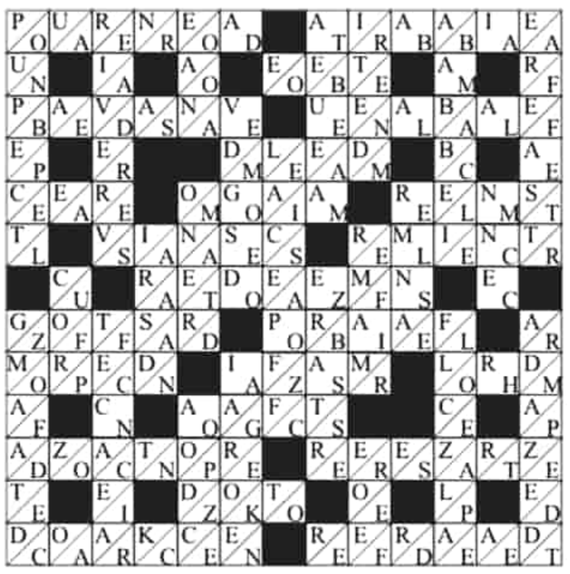
(Fig A)



(Fig B) Not Allowed



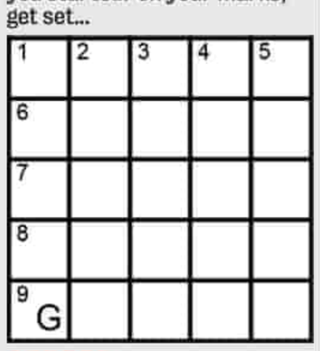
Strikeout



This crossword has no clues and the answer is there waiting for you. All you have to do is find it in each square. You have a choice of two letters, one of which you must strike out. If you choose correctly, you will be left with a grid that contains real words.

Fast five

How long do you think it will take you to unscramble the ten words shown below and fit them correctly into the grid in the order given one letter has already been entered to get you started? on your marks, get set...



ACROSS

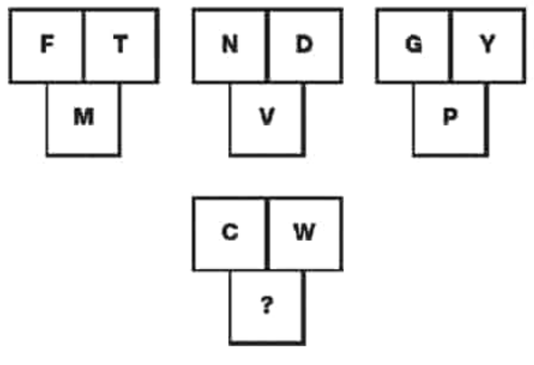
1 Agues; 6 Nun me; 7 In GRD; 8 Gage I; 9 Dogie

DOWN

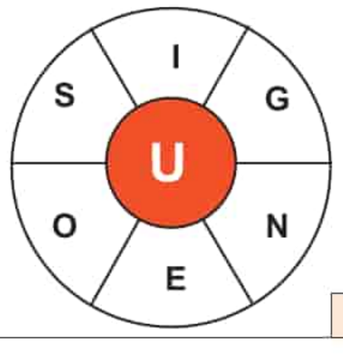
1 GN Aug; 2 Urges; 3 Mi Goa; 4 Gin ie; 5 Den Ed

Mensapuzzle

Which letter replaces the question mark and completes the puzzle?



Bull's eye



How many words of four or more letters can you make from the letters shown? Every word must contain the central letter. There should be one seven-letter word. British English Dictionary is used as a reference.

07 Average; **08** Good; **10** Outstanding

SudokuChallenge

				8	2			9
			5				3	
		3		6	1		4	8
		4		9		3	8	
	6						9	
	3	2		1		7		
5	9		1	3		4		
	4				9			
7			6	5				

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every digit from one to nine must appear in each of the nine vertical columns, in each of the nine horizontal rows and in each of the nine boxes.

Gofigure

Place the four numbers in the first, third, fifth, and seventh boxes and whatever operators you care to use in the second, fourth, and sixth boxes in the correct order to get the answer. Use the numbers only once.

Easy = 3

6 9 9 9

Medium = 11

1 4 5 8

Hard = 4

2 3 4 8

Hocusfocus

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

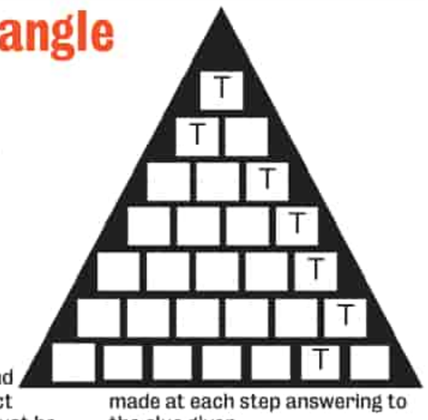
Differences: 1. Arm is longer. 2. Hole is added. 3. Leaves are added. 4. Door handle is added. 5. Exclamation point is added. 6. Zipper is lower.

Riddler

I am one simple word, but I mean different things
One of my meanings brings great forceful swings,
The other of me, may have curve, like the first...
But only one meaning can help quench a thirst.
One of my meanings will often bring cheers, Either
of them could hold a few beers. What word am I?

Alpha triangle

1 20th letter
2 Et Brute
3 Weirdo
4 Cousin's mother
5 Frequent
6 Nothing at all
7 Badly behaved



Beginning at the top move towards the bottom seven-letter word by adding a letter at each step and rearranging. A correct and different word must be made at each step answering to the clue given.

DIFFICULT TO SOLVE? FIND THESE SOLUTIONS ON THE NEXT PAGE

COMICS

Popeye

I STOPPED 'AT CRAZY PERFESSOR FROM GROWIN' HAIR ON SWEE'PEA AGAIN!
I KNOW!
YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE HIT HIM SO HARD!
YOU SPILLED HIS NEW FORMULA ALL OVER THE ROOM!
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popeye.com

Bizarrotrip

Never hire a squinty-eyed sailor man to design a peg leg.
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Diamond Lil

And now, a word from the National Council on Tongue Depressors:
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Hart of the city

WHOA!
THAT SHARK DIDN'T HAVE HUNGER IN ITS EYES. THIS ISN'T TOO BAD!
THAT'S CUZ IT JUST ATE, LIKE, FIVE MINUTES AGO. IT MIGHT GET BAD LATER.
HEART OF THE CITY © 2025 ANDREWS MCMEEL
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Crankshaft

I WAS WONDERING IF YOU COULD USE ANOTHER REPORTER HERE AT THE SENTINEL, SKIP.
WELL, I'M NOT SURE THAT...
YOU'RE A VERY GOOD WRITER, EMILY.
WELL PLAYED, LADIES... HOIST BY MY OWN RECORD!
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Mutts

HOW'S YOUR HIBERNATION GOING, MOOCH?
FOOEY.
I'M JUST LYING HERE THINKING ABOUT ALL THE MEALS AND SHNACKY SHNACKS I'M MISSING!
NOW I KNOW WHY BEARS ARE ALWAYS GROWLING.
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WHAT YOUR STARS SAY TODAY

Aries Mar 21 – Apr 20
Today is a good day for you. Your enthusiasm may be at its peak, but it's important to stay grounded. Self-reflection will boost your confidence and help increase your social prestige. Your communication skills can help you resolve many problems. Investors are advised to avoid speculation. You might also consider pursuing higher studies to enhance your career.

Taurus Apr 21 – May 20
Today, you may struggle to find satisfaction in both work and family life. Avoid arrogance and ego, especially with your spouse, as it may harm your emotional bond. Issues in partnerships may begin to resolve. Singles should not rush decisions related to marriage. Patience will help you navigate through messy situations.

Gemini May 21 – Jun 21
You are blessed by a positive Moon today. You may feel enthusiastic and ready to introduce new innovations in your business. Renovation plans for your home or office might also take shape. Your creative ideas and growing network will support your progress.

Cancer Jun 22 – July 23
Today, you'll be involved in family matters and may hear good news from loved ones. Children may be a focus, particularly their academics or health. Be polite with those around you as harsh words could lead to unnecessary arguments.

Leo Jul 24 – Aug 23
You'll feel happier and energised today. This inner vitality will increase your self-confidence. Don't delay important decisions related to finances, work, or academics. In your personal life, patience is key to avoiding ego clashes with your spouse. Lovebirds might enjoy a short trip together.

Virgo Aug 24 – Sep 23
Today may feel heavy. You might experience dissatisfaction and could be affected by hidden enemies or conspiracies. Avoid harsh speech to prevent legal troubles. Stay cautious and avoid investing in risky assets or ventures today.

Libra Sep 24 – Oct 22
You're likely to feel happy and enthusiastic. Starting a new partnership could prove beneficial for your business. Your dedication at work might be appreciated by your seniors, possibly leading to a promotion or reward. Job seekers may find a suitable opportunity, and singles could meet someone special through family connections.

Scorpio Oct 23 – Nov 22
You may be fully focused on work today, and your patience will be key in achieving your goals. Your efforts and dedication are likely to be rewarded. You may also consider investing in fixed assets or property.

Sagittarius Nov 23 – Dec 22
Your destiny may favor you today, helping you succeed with ease. A visit to a religious or spiritual place could bring inner peace. You might be drawn to learning about intellectual or occult subjects. Students may perform well. Singles may find a good match, and lovebirds could take the next step toward marriage.

Capricorn Dec 23 – Jan 20
You may feel low today. Be cautious around rivals or opponents, and avoid arguments with your seniors. Delay any major investments in fixed assets for now, as they may not yield the expected returns. Lovebirds should avoid trivial arguments to maintain harmony.

Aquarius Jan 21 – Feb 19
You'll enjoy spending time with family and may share romantic moments with your spouse, strengthening your bond. Renovation or decoration of your home may be on your mind. While social activities and events bring joy, make sure to read all documents carefully before investing in property.

Pisces Feb 20 – Mar 20
You'll feel energetic and positive today. Self-reflection may lead to new confidence, making you ready to face challenges with courage. Stay patient when making business or financial decisions. Lovebirds will enjoy a peaceful and joyful day together.

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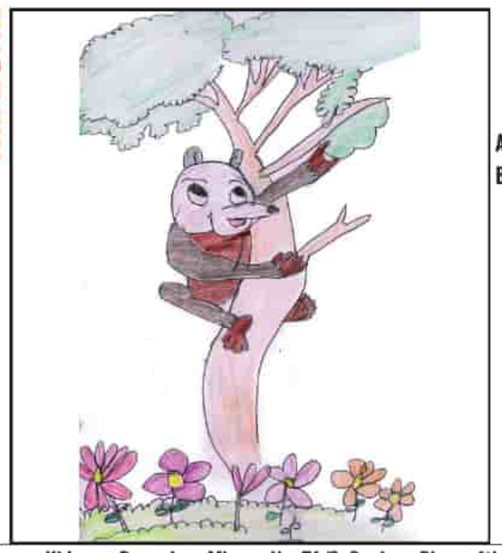

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SOLUTIONS

SOLVE IN 1M
(24 – 8) / (1/4) =
16 / (1/4) = 64

BULL'S EYE
genius, ignus, gnus, guise, IGNEOUS, onus, snug, suing, using

FAST FIVE

G	E	O	I	D
A	G	G	I	E
G	R	I	N	D
N	U	M	E	N
U	S	A	G	E

RIDDLER Pitcher

QUOTE UNCODE
To gain that which is worth having, it may be necessary to lose everything else.

STRIKE OUT

P	U	R	R	E	D		A	R	A	B	I	A		
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QUICK

MENSA PUZZLE
M. In each diagram, start with the upper left box, and move anti-clockwise around the others. Letters advance through the alphabet in steps of 7 for the upper left diagram, 8 for the middle, then 9, then 10.

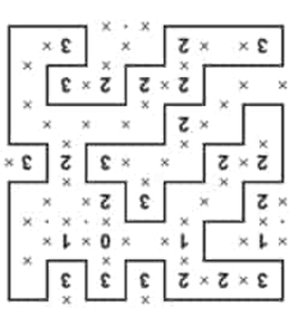
SUDOKU

4	1	5	3	8	2	6	7	9
6	8	9	5	4	7	2	3	1
2	7	3	9	6	1	5	4	8
1	5	4	7	9	6	3	8	2
8	6	7	4	2	3	1	9	5
9	3	2	8	1	5	4	6	7
5	9	6	1	3	8	4	2	7
3	4	1	2	7	9	8	5	6
7	2	8	6	5	4	9	1	3

ALPHA TRIANGLE
T, Tu, Nut, Aunt, Haunt, Naught, Naughty.

GO FIGURE
Easy
9 – 9 + 9 – 6 = 3
Medium
5 x 4 – 8 – 1 = 11
Hard
2 x 8 – 4 / 3 = 4

LOOP



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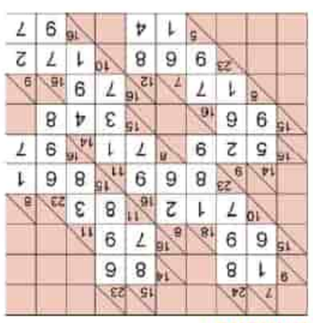

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